Muslims in the Co-operative Department.

45. **MR. P. S. MAHOMED** (*Nominated*): Will the Government be pleased to state whether there is any Muslim officer in the Department of Co-operative Societies?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): The answer is in the negative.

Muslims qualified for Magistrates' places.

46. **MR. P. S. MAHOMED** (*Nominated*): Will the Government be pleased to state whether they are aware that there are Muslims in the Huzur and the Account Offices eligible for appointment as Magistrates?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): The Government are aware that there are Muslims in the Huzur Office and the Account Office who are qualified for appointment as Magistrates.

Law re Wakf.

47. **MR. P. S. MAHOMED** (*Nominated*): (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether they are aware that the Muslims in the State desire to have an enactment relating to *wakf* properties?

(*b*) Have any representations been made by representatives of the Muslims including myself in the Sri Mulam Popular Assembly calling the attention of the Government to the necessity for changing the *Marumakkattayam* law among the Muslims of some places which is un-Islamic into *Makkattayam* Mahomedan law?

MR. KAYALAM PARAMESVARAN PILLAI (*Additional Head Sirkar Vakil*): (*a*) and (*b*) The answer is in the affirmative in each case.

MR. P. S. MAHOMED (*Nominated*): അവയെസംബന്ധിച്ചു ഗവ ണ്മെൻറു വല്ലതും ചെയ്യണമെന്നുദ്ദേശിക്കുന്നുണ്ടോ ?

MR. KAYALAM PARAMESVARAN PILLAI (*Additional Head Sirkar Vakil*): Not at present.

Muslims in Public Service.

48. **MR. P. S. MAHOMED** (*Nominated*): Will the Government be pleased to state whether they are aware that there is an uneasiness among the Muslims in the State regarding the discouragement they meet with in the public service?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): No. But recently they have received resolutions of a few meetings, held at Muvattupuzha, Kunnatnad and Alleppey, praying for the appointment of more Muslims in the public service.

Muslims in the Forest Department.

49. **MR. P. S. MAHOMED** (*Nominated*): Will the Government be pleased to state the number of Muslims employed in the Forest Department as clerks, Rangers and Foresters?

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Appendix II.

Vide Answer to Question No. 49.

Statement of Muslims employed in the Forest Department as clerks, Rangers and Foresters.

Serial No.	Designation.	Name.	Pay.	Remarks.
			Rs.	
1	Clerk.	O. Hussain Khan.	20	Acting.
2	Ranger.	Nil.	...	
3	Forester.	Sheik Davood.	24	

Appendix III.

Vide Answer to Question No. 67.

Statement of guns deposited in Police Stations.

Name of station.	No. of guns in deposit.	No. of guns that have been there for more than two months.	Remarks.
Muvattupuzha ...	1	1	Owner in Central Jail.
Kotamangalam ...	2	2	One of the guns is unserviceable. The application received for a license for the other gun has been refused.
Todupuzha ...	20	1	Steps are in progress for the grant of licenses.
Koottattukulam ...	2	2	Do.
Kunnatnad ...	1	1	The application of the owner for a license has been rejected.

Appendix IV.

Answer to Part A of Question No. 71.

Statement showing the No. of documents registered in certain Sub-Registry Offices during the years 1101, 1102 and 1103.

Serial No.	Name of office.	Number of documents registered in		
		1101	1102	1103
1	Shertallai ...	4846	5176	6390
2	Mararikulam ...	3303	2962	3769
3	Arukutti ...	3636	3776	4498
4	Vaikam ...	5356	5104	6168

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